Dear Parent/Guardian,

I am currently a graduate student in Brooklyn College’s Childhood Education Master’s program. I am conducting a research study on the effects of teacher expectations of students and their subsequent academic performance. This phenomenon is called the Pygmalion effect in education.

I would like to request your permission to allow your child to fill out a survey on his/her feelings towards his/her current teacher and about the relationship with this teacher. The survey to be used will not ask for any information about the specific identity of your child, such as his/her name or gender, and the data collected will be used for my research study only. The goal of the study is to increase the academic integrity of the public schools.

All results for this study will be reported as a group study and the participants’ names and information will be anonymous. I greatly appreciate your support. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me. [gleng2041@aol.com](mailto:gleng2041@aol.com) or at 917-945-7485

Sincerely,

Glen Gochal

I give my child\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ permission to be a participant in this research study.

Parent’s Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Dear \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

I am currently a graduate student in Brooklyn College’s Childhood Education Master’s program. I am conducting a research study on the Pygmalion effect in the educational process. I am requesting your permission to use information gathered from your students for my research study. Students would be answering a survey without revealing their names, or any other identifying characteristics such as gender or address.

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Sincerely,

Glen Gochal

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ give my permission to be a participant in this research study.

Teacher’s Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Dear Principal\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

I am currently a graduate student in Brooklyn College’s Childhood Education Master’s program and am conducting a research study on Pygmalion effect on the educational process. I am requesting your permission to use select second grade students from your school to fill out a survey. The survey would ask each child about his/her feelings towards his/her current teacher and about the relationship with this teacher. There will be no identifying information requested in this survey, such as name or gender.

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Principal’s Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_